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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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The the Application of: YOSHIKAWA, Kota

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Examiner: Dawn L. Garrett

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FOR: ORGANIC EL ELEMENT AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME, ORGANIC EL DISPLAY DEVICE USING THE ELEMENT, ORGANIC EL MATERIAL, AND SURFACE EMISSION DEVICE AND LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE USING THE MATERIAL

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated **November 26, 2003** of the Primary Examiner.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- 1. X A petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Final Rejection was filed on April 26, 2004.
- 2. X A timely response to the Final Rejection has been filed, as provided in 37 C.F.R. 1.113.
- 3. $\underline{\mathbf{X}}$ Fee \$330.00 or Small Entity \$165.00
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In the event this Notice of Appeal is not considered to be timely filed, Applicant hereby petitions for an appropriate extension of time. The fee for this extension may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 01-2340, along with any other additional fees which may be required with respect to this Notice.

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